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Rear Admiral Charles H. Lyman, U. S. Navy  
Chief of Staff, Naval War College  
Newport, Rhode Island

Dear Admiral Lyman:

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I wish to confirm the arrangements made by Mr. [REDACTED] and Commander Savadkin for the presentation at the Naval War College on 20 March 1958. It is planned to present a joint program with representatives of the Office of Special Warfare, Department of the Army, in order to emphasize the joint planning and operational considerations which are fundamental to the Agency's role in unconventional warfare.

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The CIA representative, [REDACTED] US Army (Ret), will make the initial address on "Special Planning" from 0930 to 1020. Colonel Oliver Dixon, US Army, Chief, Unconventional Warfare Division, Office of Special Warfare, Department of the Army, will follow with a presentation on "Unconventional Warfare" from 1030 until 1120. At 1130 both speakers will form a joint panel and respond to student questions until approximately 1215.

It is understood that during the afternoon you would like to have joint teams from CIA and the Office of Special Warfare meet concurrently with four student seminar groups. It is suggested that these groups meet at 1400 for approximately an hour's discussion. The entire presentation must be classified Top Secret.

I am sure that the group will be delighted to accept your invitation to attend a small luncheon at the Officers' Club on the day of their visit. In response to your request, I am attaching a short biographic sketch of each of the participants.

It is tentatively planned that the group will leave Washington by air at 1430 on the afternoon of Wednesday, 19 March, arriving at the Quonset Naval Air Station at approximately 1630. Overnight BOQ

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accommodations for the group are preferred. This plan of travel will be confirmed by a telephone call to Commander Savadkin on the morning of 10 March. At that time we will give the designation of the aircraft in order that arrangements can be made for landing at the Quonset Naval Air Station.

I wish to express my appreciation for this opportunity to contribute to the activities of the Naval War College.

Sincerely yours.

SIGNED

MATTHEW BAIRD  
Director of Training

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